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Mr. Ken Niles, Assistant Director Nuclear Safety Division Oregon Department of Energy 625 Marion Street Northeast, Suite 1 Salem, Oregon 97301

Dear Mr. Niles:

TRANSMITTAL OF THE REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION REPORT FOR THE PLUTONIUM/ORGANIC-RICH PROCESS CONDENSATE/PROCESS WASTE GROUP OPERABLE UNIT: INCLUDES THE 200-PW-1, 200-PW-3, AND 200-PW-6 OPERABLE UNITS, DOE/RL-2006-51, DRAFT A

The purpose of this letter is to submit the Remedial Investigation Report for the Plutonium/ Organic-Rich Process Condensate/Process Waste Group Operable Unit: Includes the 200-PW-1, 200-PW-3, and 200-PW-6 Operable Units, DOE/RL-2006-51, Draft A for your review and information.

This document was submitted to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) on October 27, 2006, to complete Tri-Party Agreement Interim Milestone M-15-045A by October 31, 2006. This Remedial Investigation report presents the data collected during the remedial investigation as it is described in the Work Plan (DOE/RL-2001-01) for both the representative sites associated with this operable unit grouping and the carbon tetrachloride dispersed plume.

EPA has 45 days following receipt of the document to either approve or return comments to the U.S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office. The review is scheduled for completion by December 14, 2006, and we would request to receive your comments, if any, on or before that date.

Mr. Ken Niles 07-AMCP-0029

If you have any questions, please contact me, or you may contact Briant Charboneau, of my staff, on (509) 373-6137.

Sincerely,

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